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RELEASABLE FROM SSO CHANNELS. SSOS PASS

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TO APPROPRIATE TCOS. CITE NPIC 3340.

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CONTINUING ANALYSIS OF OVERHEAD PHOTO COVERAGE OF DAIREN,
(TA-LIEN) CHINA (3855N 12138E) CONFIRMS THAT A "G" CLASS SSB WAS
CONSTRUCTED ON THE CENTER BUILDING WAY OF THE DAIREN SHIP-
BUILDING COMPANY SHIPYARD (LU-TA SHIPYARD, [REDACTED])

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THE CENTER BUILDING WAY IS OCCUPIED BY UNIDENTIFIED CON-
STRUCTION MATERIALS ON CHURCH DOOR MISSION [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED] THE VESSELS IN THE SHIPYARD AND ON THE OTHER BUILDING WAYS
AT THE TIME OF THIS MISSION ARE COMMERCIAL FREIGHTERS.

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UNIDENTIFIED CONSTRUCTION IS PRESENT ON THE CENTER BUILDING
WAY ON [REDACTED] SECURITY SCREENS HAVE
BEEN ERECTED ON EACH SIDE OF THE WAY TO DENY GROUND OBSERVATION.

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A "G" CLASS SSB IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION ON THE CENTER BUILDING
WAY ON [REDACTED] THE LENGTH OVERALL OF
THIS CONSTRUCTION WAS APPROXIMATELY [REDACTED] AND THE MAXIMUM
MEASURABLE BEAM IS APPROXIMATELY [REDACTED] A 70X35 FT WEATHER
SHED LOCATED APPROXIMATELY 135 FT FROM THE BOW OBSCURS THE SAIL
AREA, BUT PRESSURE HULL AND BOW PLANE HOUSING DETAILS ARE DIS-
CERNABLE.

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THE "G" CLASS SSB IS IN AN ADVANCED STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION
ON THE CENTER BUILDING WAY ON [REDACTED]
THE INCOMPLETED SAIL CONSTRUCTION PROTRUDES FORWARD FROM THE WEATHER
SHED AND MEASURES APPROXIMATELY [REDACTED] FROM THE BOW.

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KEYHOLE COVERAGE ON [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]
REVEALED AN UNIDENTIFIED VESSEL APPROXIMATELY 300 FT LONG ON THE

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CENTER BUILDING WAY.

A PROBABLE "G" CLASS SSB IN A POSSIBLE FLOATING DOCK WAS
MOORED AT THE SHIPYARD MOLE ON KEYHOLE [REDACTED]

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[REDACTED]

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A COMPLETED "G" CLASS SSB IS MOORED AT THE NORTHERNMOST
COMMERCIAL WHARF ON [REDACTED] THE CENTER
BUILDING WAY IS NOW OCCUPIED BY THREE SHANGHAI-CLASS PTF AND
FOUR SMALL [REDACTED] TUGS UNDER CONSTRUCTION. THIS FACILITY IS IN-
VOLVED PRIMARILY WITH NAVAL BUILDING ACTIVITY AT THIS TIME RATHER
THAN THE PREDOMINANTLY COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY NOTED IN [REDACTED]
COVERAGE. PREFABRICATED SECTIONS AT THE HEAD OF THE CENTER
BUILDING WAY ARE PROBABLY ASSOCIATED WITH THE 150 FT TUG CON-
STRUCTION NOTED ON THE NORTHERNMOST BUILDING WAY WITH THE SEVEN
SHANGHAI CLASS PTF WHICH ARE OBSERVED THERE IN VARIOUS STAGES
OF CONSTRUCTION. GP-1

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T O P S E C R E T [REDACTED]

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-END OF MESSAGE-

(ALSO PASSED TO [REDACTED])

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